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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The bomb and mine disposal profession was created  
3 in April 1941; and

4 WHEREAS, Members of explosive ordnance disposal  
5 organizations perform a dangerous and selfless task often  
6 without recognition, risking their lives on behalf of the  
7 United States of America; and

8 WHEREAS, The United States will forever be in debt to  
9 personnel in the profession of explosive ordnance disposal for  
10 their bravery and sacrifice in times of peace and war; and

11 WHEREAS, People in the United States should express their  
12 recognition and gratitude for members of the explosive ordnance  
13 disposal profession; and

14 WHEREAS, The first Saturday in May would be an appropriate  
15 date to observe as National Explosive Ordnance Disposal Day;  
16 therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
18 NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we  
19 support the federal designation of National Explosive Ordnance  
20 Disposal Day to honor those who are serving and have served in

1 the noble and self-sacrificing profession of explosive  
2 ordnance disposal in the United States Armed Forces.